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Populace contributions: This newsletter depends on contributions from the populace of Dragonsspine for much of its content. We are proud to run several regular features, but these depend entirely on the contributions of populace members. We encourage all members of the populace to contribute features, articles, cover art and other creative works for inclusion in future issues of the *Meiassis Dragon*. Please direct these content submissions to chronicler@dragonsspine.org and be sure to include a completed Grant of Use form (see <http://sca.org/docs/library.html#releaseforms>).

Baronial Court of Dragonsspine

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Dragonsspine Retinue and Guard

Heavy Guard:

- THL Broddi Hornabrájotr, Captain
- Herr Sixtus Goetz
- Herr Wilhelm Meis
- Phalen Adelwolfe
- Collin

Rapier Guard:

- Lord Anton du Vallier, Captain
- Doña Alexandria Morgan
- Lord Conall Mac an Druaidh
- Veronica Francesco

Archery Guard:

- Countess Eóránn O'Connor, Captain
- THL Lêofsige Ó Caoimh (aka Lyssa)
- Sander von Zeitz

Ladies-in-Waiting:

- Lady Jeanette du Vallier, Head Lady in Waiting
- THL Bronwen of Hindcroft
- Lady Mael Mide ingen Domnaill
- Viola
- Lady Gaia, Out of Kingdom North
- Lady Zaahira de la Sara, Out of Kingdom South

Baroness's Companions:

- Duchess Caimneach Uliseir of Glendalough
- Mistress Mary of Lyonshall

Court Herald:

- THL Kiara Loftus

Baronial Champions

- Warlord: Herr Sixtus Goetz
- Defender: Lord Gianni Sangermano
- A&S Champion: Mistress Lydia of the Pines
- Ranger: Lord Tiberius Acilius Brutus
- Shield of Honor: Lord Alric Godwynson
- Bard: Lord Robert Huntman

Dragonsspine Baronial Officers

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Please notify the Chronicler of corrections/changes to this list at: chronicler@dragonsspine.org.

December Calendar

December 2013						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Archery Practice 2-4PM Sir Ton's Fields Fight Practice 2-5PM Woodstone Park (weather?)	2 Populace Meeting 7-9PM Penrose Library Carnegie Room	3	4	5 Fight Practice A&S Night 6-9P Westside Community Center Class: Drafting a Pattern, pt. 1	6	7
8 Archery Practice 2-4PM Sir Ton's Fields Fight Practice 2-5PM Woodstone Park (weather?)	9	10	11 Dance Practice 6:30-8:30P Co Springs City Auditorium	12	13	14
15 Archery Practice 2-4PM Sir Ton's Fields Fight Practice 2-5PM Woodstone Park (weather?)	16	17	18	19 Fight Practice A&S Night 6-9P Westside Community Ctr	20 Gypsy Christmas 6-9PM Westside Community Ctr	21
22 Archery Practice 2-4PM Sir Ton's Fields Fight Practice 2-5PM Woodstone Park (weather?)	23	24	25 Merry Christmas!	26	27	28
29 Archery Practice 2-4PM Sir Ton's Fields Fight Practice 2-5PM Woodstone Park (weather?)	30	31 Happy New Year!				

Local events/activities

Events outside the barony

👑 Outlands Royal presence

🐉 Dragonsspine Baronial presence

Please note: Archery practice and Sunday fighter practice are outdoor events, subject to cancellation in case of inclement weather.

Upcoming Classes

Drafting a Pattern, Part 1: The Sloper

THL Hannah de Avila

When: 6:00 PM Thursday, 5 December, 2013

Where: Westside Community Center, 17th & W. Bijou

A sloper is YOU in pattern form. The easiest way to draft a pattern is to start with a sloper. Class participants will work in pairs to take measurements. Each person will go home with a pattern. Class is hands-on.

What to wear: Please wear supportive undergarments and a fitted layer so we can get accurate measurements.

What to bring: Please bring measuring tape, Paper scissors.

What will be provided: Yard sticks, large roll of paper, pencils.

Upcoming Events

Gypsy Christmas

Friday, December 20, 2013

Site: Westside Community Center

1628 West Bijou Street Colorado Springs, CO 80904

Site open: 6:00pm-9:00pm

Site fees: Donation

THE SITE IS DRY.

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Good people of Dragonsspine, please join us again for Gypsy Christmas. Dress up! Be sure to bring your Feast gear for a wonderful Holiday meal plus a little money for the auction/raffle.

This will be an 'assigned' potluck. We would like to have a Christmas type meal: turkey, ham, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetables, bread and deserts. If you would like to volunteer to provide a turkey or ham, please let Mael Mide know. We will have roaster ovens available and people may join together to provide items on the list. [*House Broken Horn will be providing one roast turkey and one ham along with potatoes and gravy.*] Otherwise side dishes and deserts are the perfect items to bring.

Please join us whether or not you are providing food stuffs.

There will be a raffle/auction for some very nice items out of our wonderful A&S community. Tickets will be available and 2 for \$1.00. Everyone can look over the table at the items and drop their tickets (as many as they like) for their desired item and there will be a drawing and possible auction at 8 pm. (This will depend upon what items we have donated.) All money raised will go to the Dragonsspine coffer (after site cost is covered).

RSVP to the autocrats. We would love to get a head count if we can.

Directions: From I-25, take the Uintah Street Exit #143 and head west for 0.7 miles. Turn left onto 17th Street. The Center will be on your left on the corner of 17th and West Bijou Street.